

PRODUCT: 797 cases, each containing 24 1-pound, 3-ounce cans, of tomatoes at Jacksonville, Fla.

LABEL, IN PART: "Land O'Sunshine Selected Tomatoes."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of fly eggs and maggots, and of a decomposed substance by reason of the presence of decomposed tomato material; and, Section 402 (a) (4), it had been prepared under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with filth.

DISPOSITION: January 19, 1949. The Winn & Lovett Grocery Co., Jacksonville, Fla., and the Dupont Canning Co., having appeared as claimants and consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the court ordered that the product be released under bond for the purpose of salvaging the good portion, under the supervision of the Federal Security Agency. On March 7, 1949, the claimants having abandoned their claim to the product, an order was entered directing that the product be delivered to a Federal institution, for use as animal feed or fertilizer.

15135. Adulteration of canned tomatoes. U. S. v. 369 Cases * * *. (F. D. C. No. 27250. Sample No. 41842-K.)

LIBEL FILED: June 3, 1949, Northern District of Illinois.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about February 10, 1949, by Brady Tomatoes, Inc., from Martinsville, Ind.

PRODUCT: 369 cases, each containing 24 1-pound, 3-ounce cans, of tomatoes at Chicago, Ill.

LABEL, IN PART: "Stop & Shop Tegar Brand Red Ripe Tomatoes."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed substance by reason of the presence of decomposed tomato material.

DISPOSITION: July 27, 1949. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

15136. Adulteration of canned crushed tomatoes. U. S. v. 597 Cases * * *. (F. D. C. No. 26373. Sample No. 10131-K.)

LIBEL FILED: On or about January 5, 1949, Southern District of New York.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about October 28 and November 2, 1948, by the P. M. C. Co., from Swedesboro, N. J.

PRODUCT: 597 cases, each containing 6 6-pound, 6-ounce cans, of crushed tomatoes at New York, N. Y.

LABEL, IN PART: (Can) "Pacama Crushed Tomatoes."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed substance by reason of the presence of decomposed tomato material.

DISPOSITION: May 9, 1949. The J. G. Paton Co., Inc., New York, N. Y., claimant, having admitted the allegations of the libel, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released, under bond for segregation and destruction, or denaturing, of the unfit portion under the supervision of the Federal Security Agency. An attempt to segregate the product proved unsuccessful, and the entire lot was destroyed.